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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Chia-Pin Chiu

Application No: 10/007,532

Filed: October 26, 2001

For: Adhesive To Attach A Cooling
Device To A Thermal Interface

Examiner: Allen J. Flannigan

Art Unit: 3753

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Application No. 10/007,532Filing Date October 26, 2001First Named Inventor Chia-Pin ChiuExaminer Name Allen S. FlanniganArt Unit 3753Attorney Docket No. 42390P5593C Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply) Check Credit Card Money Order Other NoneX Deposit AccountDeposit Account Number : 02-2666Deposit Account Name: Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & ZafmanX The Director is Authorized to do the following with respect to the above-identified Deposit Account: Charge fee(s) indicated below.X Credit any overpayments.X Charge any additional fees during the pendency of this application.X Any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time should be treated as incorporating an appropriate petition for extension of time and all required fees should be charged. Charge fee(s) indicated below except for the filing fee.**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	770	2001	385	Utility application filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170	Design application filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional application filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) \$0.00**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE**

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	<u>20</u>	- 20** = <u>0</u>	X \$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	- 3** = <u>0</u>	X \$86.00 =	\$0.00
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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	_____
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	_____
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	_____
1813	8,800	1813	8,800	Request for inter partes reexamination	_____
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	_____
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	_____
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	_____
1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	_____
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	_____
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	_____
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1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	_____
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	_____
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	_____
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	_____
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	_____
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	_____
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	_____
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	_____
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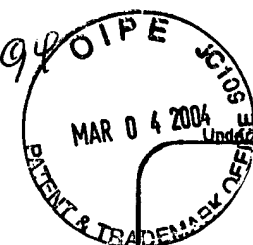
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